

Course No. & Code	STAT 575	
Course of Units	Biostatistics	
Number of Units	3	
Pre-requisite	N/A	
Co-requisite	N/A	
Equivalent Requisite	N/A	
Beneficiaries	College of Medicine	
	College of Dentistry	
	College of Medical Sciences	
	College of Pharmacy	
Course Definition & Description (Brief Contents)	Descriptive Statistics, Quantitative and Qualitative data, Graphic presentation. Measures of central tendency, measures of dispersion. Probability rules, Conditional Probability - specificity, sensitivity and Bayes' rule, Predictive value positive and negative- pdf, Binomial distribution. Poisson distribution. Normal distribution- Sampling for mean and proportion-Confidence intervals of one and two population means and proportions. Tests of Hypothesis about means and proportions and paired data.	
Main topics	Detailed contents follow.	
Course Objectives:	Students are expected to have knowledge of elementary probability and probability distributions. They should be able to summarize data by a suitable statistic, graphical presentation of data including Box plot. They should be able to conduct hypothesis tests about one and two means and proportions and draw conclusion.	
Teaching Methods	Power point slides presentations, lectures and exercises	
Curriculum book	Book Title: Biostatistics - Basic Concepts and Methodology for the Health Sciences.	
	Author: Wayne W. Daniel.	
	Publisher: Wiley, ninth edition	
Evaluation System	1- Two Exams in the semester.	
	2- Final Exam	
Semester Exam	Time: 1 Hour 30 min	Week: 7 th and 11 th
Marks Distribution	Semester Works: Test 1, Test 2, 30 marks for each test.	
	Final Exam: 40 marks	
Final Exam Time	2 Hours	

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Main Topics (Detailed Contents)	<p><u>Introduction:</u></p> <p>Introduction to Bio-Statistics, types of data and graphical representation</p>
	<p><u>Descriptive statistics:</u></p> <p>Measures of Central tendency- Mean, median, mode. Measures of dispersion - Range, Standard deviation, coefficient of variation. Calculating Measures from ungrouped Frequency Table.</p>
	<p><u>Basic Concepts of probabilities:</u></p> <p>Basic probability, conditional probability, concept of independence, Sensitivity, Specificity, probability of false positive and negative, Bayes Theorem- predictive value positive and negative.</p>
	<p><u>Discrete probability distributions:</u></p> <p>Some discrete probability distributions: Cumulative Probability Distribution, Binomial, and Poisson –their means and variances.</p>
	<p><u>Continuous Probability Distributions:</u></p> <p>Normal distribution, Standard normal and t-table.</p>
	<p><u>Statistical Inference:</u></p> <p>Sampling for mean and proportion-Point and interval estimation. Testing hypothesis about one and two sample means and proportions- Concept of P- value- Paired data</p>

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